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Rules Unit Drops CIA Enquiry

WASHINGTON, May 12 (UPI) — The House Rules Committee today announced it will hold a public hearing to determine whether a watchdog committee should be set up to oversee the top-secret espionage agency.

The committee, which has been working on a bill to establish a special congressional committee to maintain constant supervision over the top-secret espionage agency.

"This Is Not the Time"

Committee Chairman Howard W. Smith (D-Va.) reported his group felt "this was not the time" to hold public hearings on whether a watchdog CIA committee should be set up.

But another committee source said there was "a surprising

change of heart" on the part of the committee.

Meanwhile, it was learned that CIA Chief Allen Dulles is being pushed to resign by the Senate and the House Armed Services Committee on the basis of a report that he was involved in a "cover-up" of the Bay of Pigs episode.

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